



**RESPONSE UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.116
EXPEDITED PROCEDURE REQUESTED
EXAMINING GROUP 2829**

PATENT

Customer No. 22,852

Attorney Docket No. 10189.0001

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:)	
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Dai SHINOZAKI et al.)	Group Art Unit: 2829
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Application No.: 10/538,785)	Examiner: Arleen M. Vazquez
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Filed: June 10, 2005)	
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For: INSPECTION METHOD AND)	Confirmation No.: 4335
INSPECTION EQUIPMENT)	

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Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:

AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL

In reply to the final Office Action mailed December 28, 2006, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims in this paper.

Remarks/Arguments follow the amendment sections of this paper.